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W. J. SELICK--DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES

SELICK'S

Business Menu

A New Line of Ladies' Wrappers in Prints and Flannelettes, at 98c

Ladies' \$6.00 Jackets for - \$4.50
Ladies' \$9.00 " " - 6.90
Ladies' \$12.50 " " - 9.90

Which includes many of the Newest Creations.



Children's Cloaks,

Ages 4 to 14 years. Some nobby garments at from 15 to 25 per cent. less than regular prices.

Blue and Gold Furs in the leading styles and varieties.

In connection with the above we are offering a splendid line of

DRESS GOODS

which will make selling lively at these marked reductions.

A visit to our store when in search of goods pertaining to the dry goods or shoe trade, will prove remunerative.

W. J. Sellick.

HOLMES & BILSBORROW--HARDWARE.



Sold only by HOLMES & BILSBORROW.

WE ALSO SELL THE

Jewel Base Heater

Wood Stoves--have sold them for years and have yet to find a dissatisfied purchaser. They are simply all right, and positively the best base heating wood stove on the market to-day.

COAL STOVES?

Why, of course. When you think of excellence in coal stoves, some way or other the name "GARLAND" naturally pops into your mind. Everybody knows about the excellence of the Garland coal burners, and the mention of the name is all that is necessary to interest intending purchasers.

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BUSINESS NOTICES.

C. A. Critchlow, M. D.
Homeopathic Physician and Surgeon.
Office over Broughton's store--former office of Andrews & Woodman. [57]y

Passenger Line to Lawton.
John Burns' wagonette--closed vehicle--makes every train at Lawton. 35 cents. Leave orders at Tyler's drug store or at Burns' livery barn. [65]f

W. J. Johnson, V. D. V. S.
Graduate Ontario Veterinary College. Calls promptly attended to. Charges reasonable. Office at Longwell Bro's drug store, Paw Paw, Mich. [2041]y

J. D. Hamilton, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon. Office over the Wolverine Pharmacy. Calls promptly attended to at all hours. [2082]y

W. C. Y. Ferguson, D. D. S.
Dental Parlor.
All operations, including Crown and Bridge work, rendered as painless as possible. Office in Longwell Block. [2083]y

Dentistry.
J. F. Perry, dentist, will visit Paw Paw every Wednesday. Regulating teeth, and crown and bridge work a specialty. Office with Dr. Critchlow. [74]f

Heckert & Chandler.
Attorneys and Solicitors. Do a general law business. Paw Paw, Mich. [78]

THOMAS J. CAVANAUGH,
Lawyer.
Office over First Nat'l Bank, Paw Paw. Money to loan on real estate. [1927]

Farm for Sale.
Good place in Almena in high state of cultivation. A. DeHAVEN. [2100]f

H. W. McCabe, Auctioneer.
Is now prepared to make sales of farm and other property on reasonable terms. Office in Masonic block, Paw Paw.

Titus & McNeill.
Attorneys at Law. Abstract building. Law, insurance and collections. [82]y

Butler's City Bus Line.
Orders for private houses should be left at the Post Office. We never miss the train. G. E. BUTLER, Prop. 52f.

The two Satchels.
With satchel in hand to Satchell he goes. For Satchell's the man to clean up your clothes; the place you will have no trouble to find--The very best place in town of the kind. He will do your work good; do your work cheap; So take your old clothes to North Rose street.

Dyeing and Dry Cleaning of Ladies' Dresses, without ripping, a specialty. 114 North Rose st., Kalamazoo. Leave orders with Will Miller, merchant tailor, Paw Paw. [53]

Hinkley & Graham.
Will run a covered carriage to meet all M. C. trains at Lawton. Regular prices. Leave orders at Dyckman House or at the barn. Special attention given to draying, moving, etc. [86]f

Paw Paw Savings Bank.
Capital \$50,000.00 W. J. SELICK, Pres., JOHN W. FREE, Cashier.

Board of Directors.
J. J. WOODMAN, DAVID FISHER, JOHN LYLE, WILLIAM LYLE, JOHN W. FREE, W. R. SELICK, F. W. SELICK, WILLIAM J. SELICK, Interest paid on Certificates of Deposit. [2044]y

Painting, Paper Hanging, Etc.
I am now prepared to execute orders for house and carriage painting, paper hanging, glazing, etc., etc. Shop over Johnson's wagon shop. Leave orders at shop or at Dyckman House. [86]f J. A. LEECH.

PARSONS' BUSINESS COLLEGE,
Kalamazoo, opens Sept. 2. Tuition and board low. Address, W. F. PARSONS, Pres.

E. A. FOSTER.
Having purchased of W. B. Cooper his Bakery and stock of Plain and Fancy GROCERIES Will be pleased to have old customers call on him for anything in the line of Groceries or Baked Goods.

F. P. GRIMES,
Real Estate & Insurance Agent,
Paw Paw, Mich. [2044]y

Several good farms and houses and lots for sale. [2044]y

I. A. WHITMAN, GRANITE WORKS.



I do not sell by agents. I do keep a large stock to select from. I do save you one-fourth in price. It will pay you to come here.

The leading fire insurance companies represented by 2082f E. F. PARKS.

Crepe Tissues.
Most complete line in the village. We are agents for the Mother Hubbard and Dress Reform Health Corsets. Millinery? Why, of course we have anything you want in that line. Mrs. M. L. O'DELL.

Bruner, Wall & Co.
Contractors, Builders, and Building Movers, having gone into partnership, are now ready to take contracts for all kinds of building and building moving. Material, plans and estimates furnished on demand. We have also a large line of samples for steel siding and roofing, which we will lay. See us and get figures before building. [61]f BRUNER, WALL & CO.

Teachers' Examinations.
Special, Hartford, February 21-23, 1896. Regular, Paw Paw, March 26-27, 1896. Candidates for admission to the Agricultural College may take such examinations at any Regular. Work begins at 8.30 a. m. Mrs. J. W. BALL, Com'r of Schools. Paw Paw, Mich. [2082]y

Anderson & Chase.
Attorneys at Law. Special attention given to collections. Mortgages negotiated and money loaned on real estate. Office over Paw Paw Savings Bank. [73]

MERRIFIELD & ALLEN,
BLOOMINGDALE AND GLENDALE
Fruit Stock and Farm Seeds.
Half a Million Strawberry Plants. 100,000 Raspberry Plants. Plenty of trees and other Nursery Stock. Stock dying replaced at half-price. [1613]028

WANTED--Several trustworthy gentlemen or ladies to travel in Michigan for established, reliable house. Salary, \$750 and expenses. Steady position. Enclose references and self-addressed stamped envelope. The Dominion Company, Third Floor, Omaha Bldg., Chicago, Ill. [1926]044

J. C. Maxwell, Physician & Surgeon.
Special attention to diseases of the eye. Glasses properly fitted. Office in rooms formerly occupied by Dr. Dunning. Office hours: 10 to 12 a. m., 2 to 5 and 6.30 to 8.30 p. m. [2107]y

Marshall & Gardner.
Dealers in Millinery and Fancy Goods, will give to every one making a 50 cent purchase at their store a ticket on a hat or bonnet, to be given away Dec. 24 to the one that holds the lucky number.

The Best Place
to have your carpet woven is at the Carpet Mfg. Co., 1/2 mile east and 1/2 mile north of Paw Paw. All kinds of rug weaving a specialty. [119]f

The annual meeting of the Citizens' Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Jackson will be held at the office of the company, in Jackson, on Thursday, Jan. 9, 1896, at 10 a. m.

At this meeting, certain desirable amendments of the charter will also be presented and acted upon. [2116]026] GEO. S. WILSON, Sec'y.

For Sale.
One span driving horses, 4 years old, one colt, one new milch cow, cattle, sheep, two brood sows, one boar, ten pigs, (all Harrington stock,) two top buggies, all farming tools; also a lot of dishes and household furniture, corn, oats, potatoes, straw, etc., at private sale. E. C. TUCKER. [211]f One mile south of Paw Paw.

Embroidery.
Every lady interested in embroidery is invited to call at Mrs. Will Miller's home next Monday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 o'clock and inspect Mrs. Volney Maney's work and patterns. [1]t

Money.
Money to loan on real estate. H. L. MCNEIL. [18]f

Wood Wanted!
Good green or dry stove wood is as good as the cash in payment of subscription account to the NORTHERNER.

Money to loan on Real Estate. [75]f E. F. PARKS.

Local Department.

M. O. Rowland is expected home from Atlanta to-day.

Hon. Geo. W. Merriman of Hartford was in town last Monday.

Judge Mills was in town Monday looking after legal matters.

Mr. Austin Conway of Decatur was among our callers, Tuesday.

Bangs Warner and family have again become residents of this village.

Meetings are still being held at the First Baptist church each evening.

Mrs. B. F. Stearns of Minneapolis has been visiting old Paw Paw friends.

Ex-mayor Osborn of Kalamazoo was in town, Tuesday, on legal business.

The snow plow made its first journey through the town last Tuesday, just after dinner.

Emery Showerman fell in his barn a day or two ago and injured his left arm quite severely.

Annual meeting of Paw Paw Lodge F. & A. M., Tuesday evening, Nov. 26. Election of officers.

Dr. O. Letson of Covert has been attending court as a witness; also Hugh Kays of Keeler.

Attorney Chase of Bangor was engaged in the trial of a case in the circuit last Monday.

Walter Neff of Chicago is in town, called here by the critical illness of his mother, Mrs. E. Neff.

The Coterie will entertain the Every Tuesday Club of Decatur, Wednesday, Nov. 27, at Mrs. Broughton's.

Fred Mosier of Decatur was in town Sunday.

Notice the new adv. of the Scotch Medicine Company.

Alex. Lamson of Decatur made a pleasant call at the NORTHERNER office yesterday.

Supervisors Marshall of Porter and Branch of Lawrence were in Paw Paw last Monday.

Mrs. P. Mackellar has returned home from Bangor, where she has been for some time past.

Mr. Dennis Cooper recently returned home from a visit with his daughter and family at Cadillac.

Mr. T. R. Burden and Miss Mae Southwell visited friends and relatives in Kalamazoo one day last week.

W. H. Showerman, who recently purchased E. C. Tuckey's fruit farm, is a relative of Ex-sheriff Showerman.

Lawyer Boudeman of Kalamazoo was looking after legal business in the circuit court last Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Young contemplated taking a trip to Washington, D. C., about the first of next month.

Mrs. J. W. Ball was called to attend the funeral of her brother, Almon Beals, who lived near Covert, on Tuesday last.

Frank Kuappen of Kalamazoo was in court Wednesday and Thursday engaged in the trial of Dr. Engle's dog, of Hartford.

Chas. E. Sweet, prosecuting attorney of Cass county, was engaged in the trial of a case in our circuit court on Tuesday last.

Married, at the Baptist parsonage, Nov. 18, by Rev. N. C. Brundage, John Weston and Cassie Hoadley, both of Arlington.

Mrs. J. L. DeLong of South Haven, formerly a resident of this village, has been spending a few days with Paw Paw friends.

Prosecutor Titus is slowly recovering his health, but he does not yet move around with any marked degree of activity or vigor.

Thanksgiving services will be held at the First Baptist church Thursday morning at 10.30. The sermon will be by Rev. J. H. Rennie.

Asa C. Glidden, the well known agricultural writer, is contributing some valuable and interesting articles to the Kalamazoo Telegraph.

"See the name on the leg." That's what Holmes & Bilseborrow say. They do not mean the leg of the firm, but the leg of the "Round Oak."

Will Cooper has sold his house and lot to John Engle and has moved with his family to Benton Harbor. That place gains a desirable citizen.

The Antwerp treasurer will be at the office of the county treasurer each Saturday during the month of December for the purpose of receiving taxes.

The ladies' aid society of the Disciple church will give a coffee social next Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bullard. Supper at six.

Dr. Joel A. Thomas, formerly of this place, who was recently convicted at Kalamazoo of manslaughter, was sentenced to Jackson for a period of seven years.

The band boys appeared in public last Saturday for the first time. They discoursed excellent music considering the limited time they have been practicing.

His many Van Buren county friends will be pleased to know that Judge Buck's health is greatly improved since he was holding court here in September last.

A Presbyterian missionary service will be held at the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening, under the auspices of the Sunday school. All are cordially invited.

Mr. West killed a pig last Saturday that dressed 615 pounds. It was only six months old. If anybody can beat this, the NORTHERNER would be pleased to hear from him.

There will be a union thanksgiving service of the young people's societies at the Disciple church next Sunday evening at six o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Presbyterian church will hold a chicken pie social at the church parlors this (Friday) evening. Supper from five to seven o'clock. Everybody come. Bill, 20 cents.

Four inches of snow, mercury at 20 degrees and now and then the tinkle of sleigh bells, have served as a forcible reminder of the approach of winter. It was pretty tough sleighing, though.

The next annual county Sunday school convention for this county will be held at Bangor, Dec. 2-4. Every Sunday school in the county should be represented. Programs will be issued soon.

We call special attention to W. J. Sellick's adv. of seasonable goods of various kinds. His great discount in prices is a guarantee that, as he states, a visit to his store will prove remunerative.

E. S. Briggs and family have moved into his mother's house on Main street; Henry Holt will move into the house vacated by Mr. Briggs, and Chas. Wilkey and family will occupy the Turrell house.

Free & Hagerman have leased the Hathaway planing mill and machinery for a month and will use it in the preparation of material for rebuilding their own plant which was destroyed by fire a few weeks ago.

Litigation is an expensive luxury at best, and people seem to realize it. There has been but one suit commenced in the circuit court since Oct. 30, and that is a divorce case. The divorce business does not stop on account of hard times, but keeps an even pace in proportion to the marriage record.

Those subscribers who wish to pay for their "NORTHERNER" in wood will find us ready to receive it at any time.

Mr. John Ihling of Paw Paw and Mrs. Eunice Sebring of Bangor were married at the latter place last Sunday evening. Congratulations are in order and the NORTHERNER extends its heartiest.

Every young chap who hangs around outside the church during services, waiting for his girl, instead of going in and behaving himself, is fairly entitled to the "mittens," and his girl should see that he gets it.

The state attire of the King of Siam is worth over a million dollars, and he would not be thought as well dressed on the streets of London or Chicago as a man wearing one of the H. S. & M. suits sold here by E. Smith & Co.

Deputy Sheriff Emmett Thomas has had a very serious time with erysipelas in his face. He so far recovered as to be able to be around town, but suffered a relapse and has been seriously ill. It will be some time before he will be able to get out again.

Sheriff Lamberson went to Rochester, N. Y., last Saturday, in response to a telegram from an uncle residing near there who desired him to look after some business matters. Ex-sheriff Thomas is looking after matters during Mr. Lamberson's absence.

Mr. A. C. Martin received orders for "Drouth Killer" seed corn the other day from Vermont and from Iowa, all by reason of the notice that appeared in the NORTHERNER. Eight hundred bushels at two dollars a bushel will work in very handy these times, and A. C. is kicking himself vigorously because he did not plant more.

The Scotch Medicine Company is in town in all its glory and is giving nightly entertainments at the opera house. Ten cents admission Wednesday and Saturday evenings, other evenings free. The entertainments are interesting and are attended by crowds of people. Dr. Staake is a fine talker, well worth hearing. The company did lots of business at Decatur and are doing the same thing here. Go and see and hear for yourself.

A. J. Hutchins of Paw Paw matriculated in '92 and will receive the degree of A. B. in June. He has been a prominent "philologist" and has acquired rare ability as an orator, having carried off honors in an inter-collegiate oratorical contest and received the epithet of "Brutus," which has by no means proven to be a misnomer. His favorite course of study is along the philosophical. He will take a three years' theological course at Newton Center. Kalamazoo News.

The meeting of the Coterie, last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Jennie A. Buskirk, was of unusual interest. The program was in charge of Mrs. Mary Renwick; the subject, German literature. Mrs. Gould gave a fine and comprehensive character sketch of Martin Luther; Mrs. Stevenson read a delightful paper on the Passion Play of Oberammergau, which was followed by a thoroughly interesting and well-written sketch of Heinrich Heine by Mrs. McNeill. The program was varied by a humorous recitation by Mrs. Fanny Woodman and singing by Mesdames Harvey and Chappell. Members of the Lawrence club had been invited but, to the regret of the Paw Paw ladies, only Mrs. Dr. Baldwin was able to respond to the invitation. The Coterie meetings are of great interest to all who have the privilege of attending. Their plan includes from time to time a cordial invitation to sister clubs of adjacent villages to attend at least one of their weekly programs.

Paw Paw's noted hunters, Cole Rawson, Clum Engle and Will Thayer returned from their annual hunting trip in the upper peninsula on Wednesday last, having secured their five deer each, all that the law would allow them to kill. They say that they could have killed fifty as well as fifteen, but that they let the little ones go and took only the big bucks. Had they not done this they could have killed their fifteen within the first three days. They have hunted together every fall for the last thirty years and never found better hunting than this season. They agreed that, as they were getting along in years, this should be their last hunt and they are very much elated that it was so successful. Probably no three hunters in Michigan, at least not in the lower peninsula, have a longer string of game to their credit than have these veterans of forest and gun, Messrs. Rawson, Engle and Thayer. May they live many years to recount the adventures of their thirty annual hunting excursions in company with each other.

The "pure food law" enacted by the last legislature contains a clause stating that an article shall be deemed to be adulterated "if any inferior or cheaper substances have been substituted wholly or in part for it." This clause would prohibit the sale of a mixture of wheat flour or middlings and buckwheat flour, or a combination of any other food substances, unless the manufacturer or dealer shall protect himself by labeling the mixture as that which it really is. The law says that the terms food and drink shall include all articles intended to be eaten or drunk by man, whether simple, mixed or compound. Non-injurious mixtures are permitted, if they are properly labeled, but not otherwise. The pure food commissioners are preparing for an active enforcement of the law throughout the state, and the people have reason to expect that, in the near future, they will receive what they order, instead of some compound or mixture or substitute, as often deleterious and detrimental to health as otherwise. The penalty for a violation of the statute is very severe, being a fine of not less than \$100 nor more than \$1,000 and costs of prosecution, or imprisonment for not less than six months nor more than three years, or both such fine and imprisonment, at the discretion of the court, for each and every offense.

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